

REMARKS

In response to the Restriction Requirement, Applicants elect Group I, including Claims 1-10 without traverse and cancel claims 11-18, 20-26, 28-35, 37-43, and 45. On March 19, 2008, Applicants' undersigned representative participated in a telephone interview with Examiner Philip H. Leung. Applicants thank the examiner for the courtesies extended during the interview. During the interview, Examiner Leung confirmed that claims 19, 27, 36, and 44, if rewritten in independent form, would be examined together with claims 1-10 in Group I. Applicants, therefore, amend claims 19, 27, 36, and 44 to be rewritten in independent form in order for those claims to be examined together with claim 1-10.

Respectfully submitted,

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